IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.R.RAMAN

THURSDAY, THE 18TH JANUARY 2007 / 28TH PAUSHA 1928

WP(C).No. 2066 of 2007(U)

PETITIONER:

M.S.VIJAYAHARI NAIR, AGED 65 YEARS,
S/O.E.N.SREEDHARAN NAIR, SECRETARY,
PRASANTH NAGAR WELFARE ASSOCIATION,
MEDICAL COLLEGE P.O., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-11.

BY ADV. SRI.SHAMMI VIJAYAN
SMT.B.S.SEEMA

RESPONDENTS:
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1. THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT AUTHORITY
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, REPRESENTED BY ITS
SECRETARY.

2. SMT.SHABEELA BEEVI, RAGAM MANZIL,
PANACHAMOODU, PARASSALA, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

3. SRI.V.SREEKUMAR, T.C.3/2783,
GURU VIHAR, PATTOM PALACE P.O.,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.M.A.FAYAZ

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 18/01/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

P.R.RAMAN, J.

W.P.(C) NO. 2066 OF 2007

Dated this the 18th day of January, 2007

J U D G M E N T

Exhibits P6 and P7 are challenged by the petitioner, who is the Secretary of Welfare Association. The petitioner contends that the variation as allowed by the State Transport Appellate Tribunal by Exhibits P6 and P7 will adversely affect the interest of the residents in the locality. Exhibits P6 and P7 were passed as early as in August 2005. There is no explanation for the inordinate delay in filing this writ petition. That apart even according to the petitioner based on Exhibits P6 and P7, varied permits have already been issued. If so, this writ petition cannot be entertained and relief as sought for could not be granted.

2. However, if there is no bus service in the area as a result the students and the general public are adversely affected, they can approach the RTA for redressal of their grievance.

With the above observation, this writ petition is dismissed.

P.R.RAMAN, JUDGE

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